

REPORT  
OF  
THE SECRETARY OF STATE,

COMMUNICATING

*A list of the clerks and others employed in the State Department during the year 1856, the State or Territory from whence appointed, and the amount paid to each.*

JANUARY 7, 1857.—Read, referred to the Committee on Finance, and ordered to be printed.

DEPARTMENT OF STATE,  
WASHINGTON, January 5, 1857.

SIR: The Secretary of State, in obedience to the act to regulate and fix the compensation of clerks in the different offices, approved April 20, 1818, and to the 11th section of "An act legalizing and making appropriations for such necessary objects as have usually been included in the general appropriation bills, without authority of law, and to fix and provide for certain incidental expenses of the departments and offices, and for other purposes," approved August 26, 1842, respectfully reports the accompanying statements, (A, B, and C,) containing, in addition to the information required by those acts, that called for by a resolution of the House of Representatives of January 13, 1846.

The services of the clerks permanently employed, under existing laws, could not be dispensed with without injury to the public interests.

I have the honor to be, sir, your obedient servant,

W. L. MARCY.

Hon. JESSE D. BRIGHT,

*President pro tem. of the Senate.*

A.—List of clerks employed in the Department of State during the year 1856, as authorized by the acts of March 3, 1855, and August 18, 1856.

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EMPLOYEES IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT.

Names.	Grade.	Time employed.	State or Territory of residence when appointed.	Amount paid.
William Hunter.....	Chief clerk.....	The year.....	Rhode Island.....	\$2,200 00
Edmund Flaggs.....	Superintendent of statistics ..	4 months and 13 days.....	Missouri.....	689 13
Edward Stubbs.....	Disbursing clerk.....	The year.....	New York.....	2,000 00
Francis Markoe.....	Clerk of class 4.....	do.....	Pennsylvania.....	1,800 00
Robert S. Chew.....	do.....	do.....	Virginia.....	1,800 00
James S. Mackie.....	do.....	do.....	Maryland.....	1,800 00
Henry D. Johnson.....	do.....	do.....	District of Columbia .....	1,800 60
Robert W. Young.....	do.....	do.....	Virginia.....	1,800 00
George J. Abbot.....	do.....	do.....	New Hampshire.....	1,800 00
Louis F. Tasistro.....	do.....	5 months.....	District of Columbia .....	751 65
Alexander Dimitry.....	do.....	7 months.....	Louisiana.....	1,048 35
Alexander Dimitry.....	Clerk of class 3.....	3 months and 11 days.....	do.....	457 14
Robert S. Chilton.....	do.....	The year.....	New York.....	1,600 00
Alexander H. Derrick.....	do.....	do.....	Pennsylvania.....	1,600 00
William C. Reddall.....	do.....	do.....	District of Columbia .....	1,600 00
John P. Polk.....	do.....	do.....	Pennsylvania.....	1,600 00
George Chipman.....	do.....	do.....	Vermont.....	1,600 00
William E. Stubbs.....	do.....	do.....	Maryland.....	1,600 00
William Hogan.....	do.....	do.....	New York.....	1,600 00
Augustus C. Gillett.....	do.....	1 month and 17 days.....	Florida.....	210 99
Hugh C. McLaughlin.....	do.....	4 months and 13 days.....	Virginia.....	591 30
William J. Bromwell.....	do.....	7 months.....	Maryland.....	931 87
William J. Bromwell.....	Clerk of class 2.....	5 months.....	do.....	584 62
Henry D. J. Pratt.....	do.....	The year.....	Massachusetts.....	1,400 00
George Bartle.....	do.....	7 months.....	Virginia.....	815 33
George Bartle.....	Clerk of class 1.....	5 months.....	do.....	501 10
John C. Nevins.....	do.....	The year.....	District of Columbia .....	1,200 00
Thomas C. Cox.....	do.....	do.....	Kentucky.....	1,200 00
Ferdinand Jefferson.....	do.....	6 months and 7 days.....	District of Columbia .....	679 12

## B.

*Messenger and assistant messenger, employed under the resolution of August 18, 1856.*

Names.	Grade.	Time employed.	Residence at the time appointed.	Amount paid.
Emerich W. Hansell	Messenger.....	The year.....	District of Columbia.	\$930 00
James Owens.....	Ass't messenger.	....do.....	New York.....	500 00

## C.

*List of persons employed as extra clerks, packers, and laborers, in the Department of State, during the year 1856.*

Names.	Grade.	Time employed.	Amount paid.
M. L. Jekyll.....	Extra clerk.....	156 days.....	\$624 00
H. Payson.....	....do.....	....do.....	624 00
M. A. Washington.....	....do.....	....do.....	624 00
H. W. Scharit.....	....do.....	66 days.....	264 00
R. W. McHenry.....	....do.....	33 days.....	132 00
S. C. Donaldson.....	....do.....	27 days.....	108 00
James Sheehy.....	....do.....	21 days.....	84 00
M. L. Gillett.....	....do.....	20 days.....	60 00
James Steele.....	....do.....	16 days.....	64 00
William P. Faherty.....	Packer, proof reader, distributing laws and documents, and assist- ing in preparing laws for publication.	The year.....	1,409 00
Benjamin Eggleston.....	Assistant packer and proof reader.	4 months.....	272 65
William Lucas.....	Assisting in packing laws and documents.	8 months.....	389 99
William A. Scott.....	....do.....do.....	The year.....	588 00
H. C. Steers.....	....do.....do.....	60 days.....	90 00
Thomas Hagerty.....	....do.....do.....	8 $\frac{1}{2}$ days.....	120 75
Jacob Stahl.....	....do.....do.....	7 days.....	10 50
James J. Martin.....	Laborer.....	3 months and 14 days	166 15
John McGuire.....	....do.....	The year.....	588 00
John Brannan.....	....do.....	....do.....	588 00
Francis X. Dant.....	....do.....	....do.....	588 00
James McGrann.....	....do.....	....do.....	588 00
Osborn Crawford.....	....do.....	....do.....	588 00
William Lucas.....	....do.....	4 months.....	198 91
Benjamin Eggleston.....	....do.....	4 months and 16 days.	222 94
Charles H. Brown, (colored).	....do.....	The year.....	588 00

MEMORANDUM

TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES

FROM THE SECRETARY OF THE INTERIOR

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